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EASTERN CAPITALISTS BUY FACTORY SITES.

Dry Docks Property Containing Ten Acres Is Sold to a Manufacturing Concern.

INQUIRIES ARE NUMEROUS.

Henry Weaver's New Buckingham Hotel Company Prepares Articles of Incorporation-Real Estate Notes.

An Eastern syndicate of manufacturers has purchased, through the Helbrook-Blackwelder Real Estate Trust Company from Mary S. Mersman, the old dry dock property in Carondelet for \$55,600.

The tract embraces about ten acres and is situated along the river front, between Catalan and Hurck streets, and in addition to the facilities it affords for shipment of products by water, it is hordered by railways.

Holbrook-Blackweider are withholding the Steckler for \$2.50.

names of their clients for the present, but it is understood that the purchasers are planning an enormous factory to occupy most of the ten acres, and that the enterprise will be worth millions of dellars to St. Louis.

N. S. Wood.

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This is considered to have been the most from Chapling Construction Company to William Bray for \$10.500.

An extension of a large enterprise for the manufacture of shoc lasts was announced yesterday by the Lincoln Trust Company, which sold a five-story building at Thir-

dividends amounting to many thousands of dollars will be drawn by men of means, and these parties are holding off until that time to close deals. Meantime they appear to be fully convinced of the great appor-tunity the real estate market now offers for safe and profitable investments. for safe and profitable investments.

Samuel Bowman's prediction that the wholesale district along Washington avenue will soon extend in an unbroken line of hig commercial structures as far west as Eighteenth street is generally accepted by really dealers as being in no wise exaggerated. Several transactions are rumored and important announcements are expected early in January.

OTHER FACTORY PLANS. The tendency of manufacturers to follow railroad extensions north of Washington avenue and east of Third street for a dis-tance of at least fifteen blocks is shown in

taken in that vicinity.

Many of the options, upon property aggregating several million dollars in value, are known to be held by railway interests. It is also apparent that manufacturers, like the VerSteeg Shoe Company, which recenty purchased additional property in the neighborhood of Third and Biddle streets through the Nicholls-Ritter Realty and Financial Company, are in the market in

A sale announced yesterday by Keeley & A sale announced yesterday by Acetry & Co. assures the erection of a big factory at No. 1434 and 1436 Collins street, lot 40x189 feet, running through to North Second street. William Nicoll purchased the property and will soon announce plans for a large plant. plant. dence of the increase in realty values

Evidence of the increase in realty values in that neighborhood is shown by the price, \$11,700, paid by Mr. Nicoll for this particular lot. Mr. Keeley purchased it twenty years ago for \$4,000. Most of the time it has been idle, and until recently it could have been secured at a price but slightly in advance of the original purchase consideration, with ordinary interest added. Mr. Keeley held on to it, however, and he has realized a handsome profit.

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The demand for factory sites is by no
means confined to the north levee front. Inquiries are numerous for locations at any
point touched by the railways, and particularly for certain lines of industry sites are
wanted convenient to the commercial district. The idea is to facilitate the delivery
of goods by wagon to the local trade.

An Elustration of this principle is afforded
by the plans of the Loose-Wilson Cracker
and Candy Company of Kansas City, which
is negotiating with Isaac Hedges for property in the Cupples district. A factory representing an investment of \$500,000 will be
installed.

resenting an investment of Section 1 installed.

NEW BUCKINGHAM HOTEL.

The hotel to be erected by the Saxonia Realty Company at West Pine boulevard and King's highway, at a cost approximating \$1,00000, and upon which Henry Weaver of the Planters Hotel has secured a lease, will be known as the New Buckingham.

Mr. Weaver has gone to New York for the purpose of selecting some of the furthers and fixtures. Mr. Weaver has gone to New the purpose of selecting some of the fur-ature and fixtures.

The management of the new hotel has had articles of incorporation drawn for what is to be known as the New Buckingham Ho-iel Company, capitalized at \$200,000. The shares are divided as follows: Henry Weaver, 1885; R. E. Weaver, 10; Jay Weaver, 5

shares.

The petition for a charter recites that the \$200,000 capital is fully paid up, and that a lease for the projected hotel has been closed with representatives of the Saxonia Realty Company, William Miltenberger, W. A. Lange and James A. Duffy.

Meantime, the Saxonia Company, which is to erect the building, has advertised an increase of its capital stock to \$1,000,000, and is said to be assured of that amount of

money and even more if it should be required. Holbrook-Blackwelder.

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Holbrook-Blackwelder Real Estate Trust
Company sold for Mary S. Mersman to a
staticate for \$5.00 cash, the old dry docks
property, located on the river front between
Catalan and line k streets, near Carondelet. ottaining about ten acres.
The syndicate is composed of Eastern caplets, and the property was bought for
conflactoring purposes, the particulars of
each will be given later. or \$4.00.

They also placed loans during the week amounting to \$35.00 at 5 per cent and 6 per cent, and placed inder contract other sales amounting to \$15.00, to be closed next week.

Schwenker Realty Company.

The Schwenker Realty Company reports the following sales:
No. 4151 Cleveland avenue to Herman Hess, lot 27x125 two-story, Roman gray brick, containing eight rooms, reception hall, hot water heaters, etc., for \$5,000 hall, het water heaters, etc., for sack. No. 424 Margaretta avenue, lot 25x125, four-room frame house, to James B. Engish for

Meisenbach & Schmitz. Meisenbach & Schmitz report the following sales:
No. 4651 Michigan avenue, a one-story brick dwelling, three large rooms, sheds.

AGENTS' REPORTS.

manufacture of shee lasts was announced yesterday by the Lincoln Trust Company, which sold a five-story building at Thirteenth and Palm streets to Eastern capitalists

The local factory is to be operated by the St. Louis Last Company, of which E. O. Krentler of Detroit, Mich., is president. The building purchased was formerly occupied by the St. Louis Screw Company.

About \$100,000 will be expended in improving the building and installing machinery, and the company expects to begin operations by next April. It will employ several hundred workmen.

COMMERCIAL EXTENSIONS.

"While the market appears comparatively quiet, and it is natural that it should be so on the eve of the boliday season," said C. H. McMillan, secretary of the Mercantile Trust Company, "the fact is that the undercompany, "the fact is that the undercompany," the fact is that the undercompany, "the fact is that the undercompany," the fact is that the undercompany, "the fact is that the undercompany, "the fact is that the undercompany is properly holdings for manufacturing and commercial purposes. It may also be stated that the railroads continue to lay plans for property extensions. On or about the first of the new year dividends amounting to many thousands of dollars will be drawn by men of means, and these parties are holding off until that time to close deals. Meantime they appear vestment.

The leasing and renting department also reports a very active week for this season of the year. Several large stores were leased, which will be occupied January I, 1963, and a number of West End houses for terms of three and five years.

Haydel Realty Company. The Haydel Realty Company reports the pale of Nos. 1018-20 North Broadway, a ford, three-story building, on lot 20x100 feet, to Alsa two-states and the sun Realty Company, for 23,000 cash. Also rerold the same property two days ter for \$19 229 to J. & J. Plasset, clients of c Mercantile Trust Company. Also sold No. 598 Fyler avenue, lot 38x with a four-room frame cottage, from August Farwig, to Ben F. Fite, for \$1,300.

Real Estate Exchange Notes. A meeting of the Board of Directors of the exchange will be held on next Thursday at 3 p. m. Transfers for the month up to and including December 12, show that there were 221 deeds for record, amounting to \$1,100,225. Two hundred and thirty-nine deeds of trust were filed for record, amounting to trust were filed for record, amounting to \$386.534.

E. P. V. Ritter of the Nicholls-Ritter Realty and Financial Company is in Washington, D. C., on business.

-R. L. Dyas received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his cousin, Raymond Dyas at Los Angeles, Cal. The latter was formerly connected with the Dyas Real Estate Company, but for the last several years was compelled to live in California. He had many friends among local realty dealers,

Fisher & Co. Fisher & Co.'s sales aggregated \$40,000, as

Fisher & Co.'s sales aggregated \$40.000, as follows:

No. \$726 Washington boulevard, between Grand and Spring avenues, three-story fourteen-room brick and stone dwelling; first floor contains large hall, parlor, music-room, dining and breakfast rooms, butter's pantry and kitchen; second floor, five spacious bedchambers and two bathrooms; third floor, three bedchambers, cedar room and large bailroom; house finished throughout in walnut, manogany and cherry woods; lot 60x213, with large brick stable and carriage-house. Property of Mrs. Sarah E. Taylor. Sold to Charles Nagel for \$17.00 Mr. Nagel will make extensive alterations and improvements, and, when completed, which will be about April I he will occupy same as his future residence.

Fisher & Co. also sold to Doctor William Shirmer Barker of North St. Louis a large twelve-room brick dwelling on Deimar boulevard, east of Vandeventer avenue, with lot 75x120, for the sum of \$10,000. Doctor Barker will make extensive improvements, and when completed will occupy same for his residence.

Also Nos. 3334 and 2335 Forest Park boulevard, two-story nine-room brick dwellings, renting for \$50 a menth, with lot 50x200, property of M. Hartman, sold to John P. Heinrich for \$7.56. Cornet & Zeibig represented the sciler in this transaction.

No. 5153 Ridge avenue, modern two-story eight-room brick dwelling, with hot-water heat, renting for \$55 a month, lot 33x185; property of Joseph Fiannery, sold to William D. Favis for \$4,500, purchased for residence purcoses.

Also No. 5415 Maple avenue, a handsome, modern fourteen-room brick house with lot 60x149, sold for \$0,500 cash; from Thomas F. Farrelly, trustee, to Max Koehler, attorney, with bought for a home and will occupy same as soon as extensive improvements are completed. W. H. Miltenberger represented Mr. Koehler in the transaction.

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De kie Photones-for something neat and

kept in years to come.

Neudorf Realty Company.

Neudorf Realty Company reports the following sales: No. 382 South Compton avenue, a new No. 38.28 South Compton avenue, a new one-story brick house, containing four large rooms and large hall, lot 25 by 125, from Lafayette Hank to Walter Hummelshein and wife for \$2.400. Purchased for a home. No 3325 Texas avenue, a fine two-story brick flat arranged for two families, containing six large rooms and bath, in first-class condition, sold to Christian Stein and wife for \$3.500, who purchased for investment. ment.

No. 1940 Provenchere place, a one-story brick house, containing four large rooms, with lot 24 by 121, sold to Carl Messmer, who purchased for a home.

No. EIS Hontrose avenue, a two-story frame house, with lot 25 by 125, sold to Louis Epplan and wife for \$1,150. Purchased for a home.

This firm also reports many building loans.

C. R. H. Davis, president of the Royal Improvement Company, sold six houses on Morgan street, between Taylor and Walton avenues, numbered 4612-14-19-25-37-41 Mor-gan street, for \$7.000 each, or \$42,000, to Miss Agnes Horan, who purchased for in-vestment. All the houses are leased. avenues.

Charles F. Vogel. Charles F. Vogel reports the following

Charles F. Vogel reports the following sales:

No. 2722 Allen avenue, between Ohio and California avenues, two-story brick dwelling, arranged as two flats of four and five rooms and bathroom each, separate laundry and celler, lot 25x125 feet, for \$3,600, from Ernst Fechner to Edward Swineford, executor, who purchased for investment.

No. 384 Nebraska avenue, between Keokuk and Osage streets, two-story sevenroom brick dwelling, with large attle, laundry and cellar, lot 25x125 feet, for \$3,600, from Joseph Tintera to Anton and Catherine Schiffler, who purchased for a home.

No. 245 Texas avenue, between Lynch and Pestalozzi streets, a one-story five-room brick cottage, with hall, laundry and seellar, lot 25x125 feet, for \$2,050, from Frank Duckstein to Leo. G. Hadley, who purchased for investment.

Lot 10x125 feet on the northeast corner of Miami street and Tennessee avenue, for \$1,500, from Mrs. Catherine Weindel to Albert and Annie Seitrich, who purchased to improve. Henry Bartling represented the purchaser.

Keeley & Co.

Keeley & Co. report saies amounting to \$90,000, as follows:

No. 4253 West Pine boulevard, a new twostory rock-front house of ten rooms and
modern in every respect, lot 59x213 feet;
price \$14,000 cash; from Rosewood Realiy
Company to George L. and Perlie B. Crawford, who bought for investment.

Also No. 4259 West Pine boulevard, new
two-story rock-front house of ten rooms
and modern in every respect, lot 30x213 feet;
price \$16,000; from Rosewood Reality Company to David Mandel, who bought for investment.

price \$10.00: from Rosewood Realty Company to David Mandel, who bought for investment.

Nos. 3914 and 3916 Lindell boulevard, fine apartments of thirty rooms, hardwood flatsh, hot-water heat and modern in every respect, and being one of the finest apartments of thirty rooms, hardwood flatsh, hot-water heat and modern in every respect, and being one of the finest apartment-houses in St. Louis; price \$20.00; lot 50x213 feet; rented for \$2.200 per annum.

Also houses Nos. 1425 and 1437 North Second street and 1431 and 1436 Collins street, on which it fronts 40 feet; price \$150 a foot on Collins street and \$150 a foot on Second street, or \$11,700 cash for the property; from George M. Keeley to William Nicoll, who bought for manufacturing purposes. Mr. Keeley bought this property about twenty years ago, paying \$4,000 cash for same, and has owned it all these years without receiving any revenue out of the property, but now makes a handsome profit on his investment.

Also 100x145 feet on the south side of Chamberlain avenue, between Belt avenue and Clara avenue; price \$5,500; sold to James E. Powers. Mr. Powers will improve same with two fine houses.

No. 5005 Morgan street, a two-story tockfront house of nine rooms, modern in every respect, lot 25/24770 feet, from Clara Fox to L. Brant, who bought for investment; price \$5,500.

Real Estate Transfers.

ARKANSAS-25 ft., e. s., bet. Maine and Winnebago; Emil F. W. Beyer to Frank ARKANSAS—25 ff. e. s., bet, Maine and Winnebasco: Emil F. W. Beyer to Frank Rund— d.
CHAMBERLAIN—50 ff. s. s.; bet, Clara and Goodfellow: W. J. Brannan to Ellen Franz—w. d.
CHAMBERLAIN—50 ff. s. s., bet, Clara and Goodfellow: Ellen Franz to W. J. Brennan—w. d.
CHAMBERLAIN—50 ff. s. s., bet, Clara and Goodfellow: Ellen Franz to W. J. Brennan—w. d.
CITY BLOCKS—255 ft. bet, lots 11 and 12; Sheldon E. Botsford to Versil E. Gail-coun—w. d.
COMPTON—25 ft. s. bet, Chippenga and Keokuk: Lafayette Bank to Walter Shumelsheim—w. d. COMPTON—25 ft. s., bet, Chippenga and Keokuk: Lafayette Bank to Walter Shumelsheim—w. d.
COMPTON—25 ft. s., bet, Clifton place and Branch Banks—w. d.
WEISTER—2618 feet. w. s., bet, Clifton place and Branch Pockery—w. d.
WEISTER—2618 feet. w. s., bet, Clifton place and Branter place; H. R. Heller to Margaret Collins—q. c. d.
OLIVE—2311 ft. n. s., bet, Second and Twenty-first streets: A. N. Goobler to Elizabeth Foy.—w. d.
OSCEOLA—125 ft., n. s., bet, Michigan and Compton: Francis Eberte to Gerbard Scebens Francis Eberte to Gerbar OSCEOLA-IS II., R. S., Det. Michigan and Commiton: Francis Eberle to Gerbard Scribero-w. d. SHENA-MIOAH-59 ft. bet. Grand and Spring Martin J. Collins to Richard Merkie-w. d. MCHIGAN-59 ft.: W. F. Haines to W. F. Haines, Jr.-with J. Collins and Garrison. Nannie Harris to Nannie Har-ris-s. d. 10,500 ris...s. d. FOREST PARK BOULEVARD—33 1-4 ff. s. s. bel. Vandeventer and Sarah; Wil-llam Z. McCormack to John W. Stew-art-e, c. d. 8,000 FOILEST PARK BOULEVARD 3 1-4 ft.
s. bet. Vandeventer and Sarah; James
W. Stewart to Willam Z. McCormack GRAVOIS—39 fet., n. s. bet. MoNair and Indiana; George T. Frederic to Mamie

HARTFORD-35 ft. s. s. bet. Grand and

eris-w. d. HOGAN-22 fl. s. Madhein Anna Bockstehed to Stephen Finks w.d. LANDSHOWNE-22 s.4 fl. n. s. bet. King's highway and Brannen; Southampton R. Co. to J. J. King-w.d. MAIN-22 l-3 ft. e. s. bet. Poplar and Plum; S. T. Smith to J. E. Crowdus-w.d. 22,800 1,311 w. d. S. I. Smith to J. E. Crewdosw. d. MAIN-22 1-3 ft. e. s. bet Popiar and
Plum; also 22 1-3 s. s. Grathot, also 33
ft. s. s. Walnut, bet. Twenty second and
Twenty third; also 46 ft. s. s. Chouteau, bet. Ranken and Theresa, Albert
L. Mueller to S. F. Smith-w. d.
McPHERSON-34 ft. s. s. bet. Newstead
and Taylor; W. C. Schumate to J. B.
Austin-w. d.
McPHERSON-34 ft. s. s. bet. Newstead
and Taylor; J. B. Austin to Margaret
Shumate-w. d.
SPRING-2-4150, ft. w. s. bet. Sullivan in nat shi favior: J. B. Austin to Margaret Shimate-w. d. w. s. bet. Sullivan and Plage Lily Twelkers to John Stald. WARNE-50 ft. w. s. bet. Carter and Green Lea blace: Albert E. Sanderson to the Active Improvement Co.-w. d. WARNE-50 ft., w. s. bet. Carter and Green Lea blace: J. A. Pendall to A. B. Sanderson-w. d. WESTMINSTER 40 ft., n. s., bet. Spring and Vandeveniet; C. W. Wall. by truster, to F. P. Storm-t. d. 2.000 3.000 RIVER NEWS. Rise and Fall of the Rivers For 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. Saturday, Dec. 15, 1902. 25.9 fi.8 25.9 fi.8 14.0 Frozen 15.0 2.8 1.7 ain|Lal

R. J. HYATT. Local Forecast Official. River Forecast. The river at St. Louis will rise. River and Business.

Harber gauges yesterday marked 10.5 feet, in-dicating a fail of .2 of a foot in 24 hours. Business along the Leves yesterday was mod-Weather, unsettled. To-Day's Weather.

Arrived. Stacker Lee Memphis Hinca Labels
Grey Engle Commerce Ann Avenue
Spread Eagle Actor Shenandoahs Departed. City of Savannah Tennessee River Grey Eagle Commerce Bald Eagle Paducah Spread Eagle Acton

River Rialto Brevities.

The steel-bull boat being built at the foot of Carr street by Captain S. P. McNeely of Natchez, Miss. is about completed and will be launched one day this week. She will be taken to Memphis, where the upper works will be built, and will be ready to be taken to Natchez in February. February.

-The Grey Eagle arrived yesterday morning from Commerce and departed on the return in the afternoon, She brought in 1.39; sacks of wheat and a heavy stock manifest. On the return she took out 6 carloads of special freight, besides her usual cargo. Henry Hiemenz Reality Company.
The Henry Hiemenz Reality Company reports the following sales:
No. 2120 Clark avenue, a two-story eight-lements are separate as two different houses; lot 3x13; built and owned by Wilsian P. Sarakey, was sold for \$5.00 to Ida E. Side botham, who bought for an investment.
No. 1250 Claims street, a two-story, eight-room brick house, to the following for the both of the following for the both of the following for the both of the following for the following following for the following followin

difficult.

-Captain E4 Fulkerson arrived yesterday on the Stacker Lee from Memphis, where he laid up the United States steamer Patrol for the winter.

-A regular meeting of Harbor No. 28 will be held to-morrow morning, being the last meeting this year. Important business is to be transacted. acted

—Captain Bud Smedly is at Mound City with
the steamer T. H. Davis, which is undergoing
repairs. The Davis will do transfer work at
Thebes, Ill., for the railroads. Captain Smedly
and Mat Fitchner will be in charge.

—The Cape Girardeau will arrive from Commerce to morrow morning, and go out on the
return the same afternoon.

—Lew Moon and Gras Shinkle took the transfer. -Lew Moan and Gus Shinkle took the transfer steamer Pelican down from Alton en route to Vicksburg yesterday.

REPUBLIC SPECIALS.

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Vicksburg, Miss. Dec. 12.—Gauge 23, a rise of 12 foot. Vicksburg cleared for Memphis: City of St. Joseph cleared for Greenville; Beile of the Bends is due in. F. Weyerhauser and Brockman are in port. Valley Queen passed down last night with 97 bales of cotton, having put off 60 bales at this port. Chalmette expected up. Elk and Reese Pritchard overdue in.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 13.—The river here stands 16.5 feet on the gauge, a fall of 1 of a foot in the last 18 hours. The Georgia Lee will get away to-night for Calro with a fair trip. The Peters Lee due down and leaves at noon to-morrow for St. Louis. The Government sessamer Leota, from the upper bends for West Memphis to lay up. The snagboat H. G. Wrisht arrived at 5 p. m. from St. Louis and returns Monday.

Chester, Ill., Dec. 11.—River rising, Gauge 9.2, Weather cloudy. Boats down: Cape Girardeau, 239 a. m.; Chester, 7 a. m.; United States snagboat McCombi. 245 p. m. Up: Nick Samer and barge, 10 a. m.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 12.—River 165 feet and rising. Clear and cold.

Clincinnati, O., Dec. 13.—River 22.1 feet and rising. Clear and cold.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 13.—River rising; in cannot feet. Cloudy and colder.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 13.—River 165 feet; rising clear and colder.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 13.—River in a feet. Paducah, Ky., Dec. 13.—River down locks 12 feet. Cloudy and colder.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 13.—River gauge reads 17. feet. The Dick Fowler Genarted for Cairo at 9 a. m. The John S. Hopkins from Evaneville arrived at 1 p. m. and left on return trip at 3:45 p. m. The Sunshine from Memphs arrived at 5 p. m. She is still at the wharfboat. The Tennessee River douby and colder.

See the showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 feet. showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 feet. showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 feet. showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 feet. showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 feet. Tennessee Is receiving a good trip and will leave for the Tennessee River about 6 o'clock. Weather cloudy and cold.

Chiro, Ill., Dec. IS.—The river gauge reads 23.5 feet, showing a fall of 1 during the last 24 hours. Weather cloudy and colder. The rainfall for 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. was 1:20. The Fred Hartweg arrived at 2:20 a. m. from the Lower Mississippi. The Sunshine arrived from Memphis at 4 a. m. and departed for Cinclinatiat 5:30 a. m. with a fair trip. The Diek Fowler was in and out on time. The T. H. Davis passed up the Mississippi this afternoon with the transfer learge which will be used in transferring cars at Thebes. The barge was let into the river at the Mound City Ways to-day.

Burlington, Ia., Dec. 13.—The river is 1 foot 24 inches above low-water mark, a fail of 75 inches. Weather clear and warmer.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., Dec. 13.—The Chester down 4 p. m. The Cape Girardeau down 5 p. m. Boats are due up for St. Louis to-night. Weather cold and cloudy. River failing.

Grand Tower, Ill., Dec. 12.—Gen. Abbott up at 5:29 a. m. Gazel down at 8 a. m. Johe down at 11 a. m. Cape Girardeau down at 11 p. m. The gauge reads 12 feet. 3 and rising. Weather cloudy and cold. Chattanoona, Bec. 12.—The automatic river gauge, recently invented, was installed to-day in the Tennessee river. It is connected by wire with the weather observer's office, a half-mile distant.

Rugby Football Finale.

What probably will be the inst game of Rugby football in St. Louis this season will be played at Athletic Park this morning by the First Regiment team and the Athletics. The Athletics will line up with several of the former West End players, including "Deke" Farrell, Henry, Fudga and Muench. The game will be called at 5 o'clock. The line-up:

Athletics. Position, First Regiment.

Weber. Center Mooney Rugby Football Finale. Center Mooney
Right guard Mobry
Left guard Grieum
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Left tackie Siattery Left measure Johnston
Quarter Johnston
Left end Urlich
Right end Samuels
Right half back Melvin
Full tack Weinbrenner
Full tack Clark Wilson. Full tack Weinbrenner Farrell Left half back. Clark Substitutes—For Athletics Watson, Shepard and Phillips. For First Regiment. Simmons and Ricker.

Association Games Postponed. The two games scheduled for to-day in the Association Football League were called off yester, day morning, the managers of the teams declaring that the grounds are unfit for good football. The Diels were to have played the Sportsmen at C. B. C. campus and the Kerns had been booked to meet the C. B. C. team at Sportsman's Park, The gostponed games will be played next Sunday.

World's Fair League. Fair League are: INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES - OVER 25 GAMES.
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A Hollweg 56 1.12 3.27 45.44 Hollweg ... Herman F. Schaeffer Williams J. Bernard Westerman G. Hell ... dige | Soethell | Dunn | Hartman | E. Becker | Gausch | S. 8 | 9.6 | Seeman | 1.9 | Seeman | T. 1.9 | 00 5.90
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1.65 10.00 STANDING. Games. Ann Avenues

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE.

Tuesday—Towers at home to Ann Avenues; Centrals at home to Delmars.

Wednesiay—She mand ahs at home to Broadways; Black Labels at home to St. Louis. Ann Avenue Wednesday - Shenandanks at home to Broad ways; Black Labels at h me to St. Louis.

RECORDS.

Hig single game, individual - 1. Hollweg, 75.

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TEAM AVERAGES. Centrals St. Leuis Meyer Bros. League.

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TEAM RECORDS,
High average—Ideals, 152 19-150.
High average, three games—M., K. & 189 11-15.
INDIVIDUAL RECORDS. INDIVIDUAL RECORDS. High average—Thompson (M. K. & T.), 161. High sours—Hubert (Letter Carriers), 221. High severage, three games—Wochrman (M., K. & T.), 193. & T), 199.

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK.

Monday-Federals vs. Ideals, at Palace alleys.
Thereday-letter Carriers vs. M., K. & T., at
Grand alleys.
Thursday-Home Laundry vs. Palms, at Jefferson alleys.

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Standing in the senior division of the St. Louis
Tenpin League follows:
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Teams. W. L. Pet. H. G. Av.
Bankers 23 7 76 1,056 855 11-30
Grands 2 8 73 985 845 16
World's Fair 19 11 633 939 822 1-15
Kansagra 17 10 630 956 857 2-9
Divis 18 12 8-0 931 822 1-2
Divis 18 12 8-0 931 822 1-2
Dalace 15 15 5-9 883 793 15
Unleum 13 17 433 83 821 1-10
Enterprise 13 17 63 92 83 821 1-10
Enterprise 13 17 63 92 83 821 1-10
Schmidts 13 17 63 92 87 825 1-13
Schmidts 13 17 63 92 87 825 1-13
Schmidts 13 17 63 92 87 72 15
Big Seven 10 10 23 837 73 7-15
Big Seven 10 10 10 10 844 70 1-15
Team Records—High average Rassara 87 2-9;
high score, Bankers 1,036; high average (three games), Bankers, 961 1-3
Individual Records—High average, Pabst (Unicum), 255,
high average (three games), Pabst (Unicum), 252,
high average (three games) schedule for This Week-December 15, Kasagra

CATHOLIS YOUNG MEN'S LEAGUE.

Ringers 3, Oxtores 2.

Scores in the Catholic Young Men's League, bowled on the Cave, Compton and St. Augustinus alley, follow:

RINGERS (St. Mary's).

Name. C. M. 1 2 5 4 5 Tl. Av. J. Frintrup ... 3 57 29 36 48 29 36 178 25 1-5 U. F.A. Relman, 3 42 36 36 27 37 49 185 37 A. Heinser... 8 44 57 25 38 25 23 23 23 49 2-5 Gus Trintrup. 5 52 32 32 33 47 25 178 35 3-5 A. Nolte ... 3 39 35 27 39 58 35 197 39 2-5

Calderons 5, Mallincrodts 0. CALDERONS.

Name. C. M. 1 2 3 4 5 Tl. Av. A. Mueller 6 33 44 40 44 41 31 203 40 2.5 1, Fister 4 31 52 3 41 35 60 225 65 1.5 F. Frost 4 31 54 35 32 52 28 202 40 2.5 F. P. Wald 10 15 37 41 51 47 60 225 42 15 L. Frost 9 24 42 39 43 40 39 203 40 3.5 Totals30 204 167 174 191 199 212 242 37 17-25 Lyceums 4, Fanchons 1.

Name. C. M. 1 2 3 4 5 Tl Av.
Schnel 8 22 49 42 49 45 41 217 43 25
Lampel 5 41 22 5 26 92 199 38
Tellen 19 25 45 35 55 49 32 20 41 4.5
Tellen 19 25 45 35 55 49 32 224 45 4.5
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Totals31 193 189 183 197 188 200 554 33 5-35

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Peterson won both of his games and is at present in the lead, but he may step down before the end of the week, as he is booked to meet Clarence Hutchings Thursday Doctor Campbell has won two games and

Doctor Campbell has well lost one.

The "lost" column in the record of Chas.

T. Noland is represented no longer by a cipher. He lost his first tournament game in two years to Frank Williams last week. Following is the standing of the players and the schedule for this week: | Players | W. L. Players | W. Peterson | 2 9 F. Williams | 1 | Campbell | 2 1 | Williams | 1 | Noland | 1 | Smith | 1 | Hutchings | 1 | Staley | 0

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE.
Monday-F. Williams vr. C. Williams,
Tuesday-Hutchings vr. Nohnd.
Wednesday-Smith vs. Staley.
Triday-Feterson vs. Hutchings.
Friday-F. Williams vs. Smith. WRIGHT'S REMARKABLE RUN. iew Record Established in Three-Cushion Tournament.

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